

PATENT APPLICATION

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 1773

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Koji SHIMAZAWA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1773

Application No.: 10/633,669

Examiner:

K. BERNATZ

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116794

For:

EXCHANGE-COUPLED FILM, SPIN VALVE FILM, THIN FILM MAGNETIC

HEAD, MAGNETIC HEAD APPARATUS, AND MAGNETIC

RECORDING/REPRODUCING APPARATUS

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the July 26, 2005, Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Remarks.